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Mr. Kurt Messner
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SENT VIA EMAIL

Dear Director Dolly and Regional Administrator Messner:

Please accept this letter and the attached documents as Rhode Island's Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2019 Implementation Advance Planning Document Update (IAPD-U).

Through this IAPD-U, Rhode Island is requesting continued funding from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) to support further project improvements and RIBridges stabilization efforts. Included in this submission are related budget and cost allocation planning details. In this update, you will find a similar budget submission as the January 31, 2018 submission. The state intends to provide revised documents upon approval of the State's cost allocation proposal of March 2019 and approval of Deloitte contract amendment 47. It is anticipated that this submission would occur in mid-May.

Please let me know if I or the Rhode Island team can assist in any way with your review. Thank you and your team for their ongoing support.

Sincerely,

Matt Stark



Chief Administrative Officer
Executive Office of Health and Human Services

cc: CDR Terry Lew, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
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Enclosures with this email:

RI Medicaid IAPD-U for Q4 FFY 2019.pdf
Attachment A.pdf
Attachment B.pdf – APD by FFY
Attachment C (04-30-19).pdf – Personnel
Attachment D FFY 19 (04-30-19).pdf – FFY 19 Budget by quarter
Attachment D FFY 20 (04-30-19).pdf – FFY 20 Budget by quarter
Attachment E – UHIP IAPD Timeline.pdf
Attachment F – VMO Governance.pdf